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WELDING INSPECTION REPORT

Resident Engineer: Casey, William **Report No:** WIR-026255

Address: 333 Burma Road **Date Inspected:** 06-Sep-2011

City: Oakland, CA 94607

OSM Arrival Time: 700 **Project Name:** SAS Superstructure **OSM Departure Time:** 1530 Prime Contractor: American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV Contractor: American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV **Location:** Jobsite

CWI Name: CWI Present: Yes No As noted below **Inspected CWI report:** Yes N/A **Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No No N/A N/A **Electrode to specification:** Yes No Weld Procedures Followed: Yes No N/A **Qualified Welders:** Yes No N/A **Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A N/A Yes No N/A **Approved Drawings:** Yes No **Approved WPS:** Yes No N/A **Delayed / Cancelled:**

Bridge No: 34-0006 **Component: SAS OBG**

Summary of Items Observed:

Quality Assurance Inspector (QA) Douglas Frey was at the American Bridge/Fluor (ABF) job site at Yerba Buena Island in California between the times noted above in order to monitor Quality Control functions and the in process work being performed by ABF personnel. The following items were observed:

- 1. Crossbeam #5 Service Platform 6 (Exterior)
- 2. 10W 11W PP95 Counterweight bracket (Exterior)
- 3. Crossbeam #4 Service Platform 5 (Exterior)
- 4. 11W 12W Side Plate C (Exterior)
- 5. 8W PP61.5 Pipe Support Bracket (Exterior)
- 1. Crossbeam #5 Service Platform 6 (Exterior)

The QA inspector observed ABF welder Rick Clayborn ID# 2773 perform Flux Core Arc Welding (FCAW) in the 2F horizontal position on the service platform stair attachment tabs on stair 1 on crossover beam #5. The QA inspector observed the QC inspector identified as William Sherwood monitoring the welding to ensure the welding parameters were in compliance pertaining to WPS- F2200-3 and RFI# ABF-RFI-002417R00. The QA inspector made subsequent observations throughout the shift to monitor quality and noted that the work appeared to be in general conformance with the contract documents.

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2. 10W 11W PP95 Counterweight bracket (Exterior)

The QA inspector observed ABF welder Eric Sparks ID#3040 perform Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) in the 2G horizontal position on the counterweight brackets at 10W 11W PP95 on the exterior of the OBG. The QA inspector observed the QC inspector identified as William Sherwood monitoring the welding to ensure the welding parameters were in compliance pertaining to ABF-WPS-D15-1080. The QA inspector made subsequent observations throughout the shift to monitor quality and noted that the work was completed on this date and appeared to be in general conformance with the contract documents.

3. Crossbeam #4 Service Platform 5 (Exterior)

The QA inspector observed ABF welder Rick Clayborn ID# 2773 perform Flux Core Arc Welding (FCAW) in the 2F horizontal position on the service platform stair attachment tabs on stair 1 on crossover beam #4. The QA inspector observed the QC inspector identified as William Sherwood monitoring the welding to ensure the welding parameters were in compliance pertaining to WPS- F2200-3 and RFI# ABF-RFI-002417R00. The QA inspector made subsequent observations throughout the shift to monitor quality and noted that the work appeared to be in general conformance with the contract documents.

4. 11W 12W Side Plate C2 (Exterior)

The QA inspector randomly observed ABF welding operator Jin Pei Wang ID#7299 performing Flux Core Arc Welding with gas (FCAW-G) utilizing a "Bug-O" motorized rail system with a magnetic base attached in the 4G overhead position on the underside of side plate C2, at 11W 12W of the OBG. The QA inspector observed the QC inspector identified as Steve Jensen monitoring the welding to ensure the welding parameters were in compliance pertaining to ABF-WPS-D15-3042B-1. The parameters were recorded as (A=230/V=24. 1/TS=175/HI=1.9). The QA inspector made subsequent observations throughout the shift to monitor quality and noted that the work is in progress and appears to be in general conformance to the contract requirements.

5. 8W PP61.5 Pipe Support Bracket (Exterior)

The QA inspector observed F.W. Spencer welder Curtis Jump ID# 7326 performing Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) in the 2F horizontal position on 2.5 and 4 inch pipe support bracket located at 8W PP61.5 weld #110906-01. The QA inspector verified the fit up of the joints and found it to be satisfactory. The QA inspector observed the QC inspector identified as Steve Jensen monitoring the welding to ensure the welding parameters were in compliance pertaining to WPS-FWS Fillets Murex SFOBB Rev. 1. The welder was observed implementing E7018-H4R electrodes and the QA inspector made subsequent observations throughout the shift to monitor quality and noted that the work appeared to be in general conformance with the contract documents.

Summary of Conversations:

At the beginning the shift the QA inspector met with QC inspector William Sherwood and discussed the welders assignments and locations for the shift to include pending issues, ongoing work and required testing.

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Comments

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Nina Choy 510-385-5910, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

Inspected By: Frey,Doug **Quality Assurance Inspector**

Reviewed By: Levell,Bill **QA** Reviewer